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April 25, 2006

Mr. Mark Dotson Western Utah Copper Company 1208 South 200 West Milford, Utah 84751

Subject:

Request for Reclamation Surety Update, Western Utah Copper Company, WUCC-

Palladon (S/001/067), Beaver County, Utah

Dear Mr. Dotson:

On November 3, 2005, the Division received two copies of the mine plan as required. Before final permit approval is obtained, reclamation surety in the amount of one million four hundred eighty two thousand three hundred dollars (\$1,482,300.00) is required. Please provide an update regarding your surety plans.

Per the reclamation contract, under the small mine status, a five acre area has been approved for mining operations. In order to expand beyond this approved five acre permit area, the increased bond should be submitted.

Thank you in advance for providing a surety status update. Please contact me at (801) 538-5258 or Minerals Surety Coordinator, Beth Ericksen (801) 538-5318 with this information.

Sincerely,

Susan M. White

Mining Program Coordinator Minerals Regulatory Program

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cc: Beth Ericksen, DOGM Tom Munson, DOGM

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